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ORLANDO ON HIS WAY BACK TO PARIS BELGIAN CROWN COUNCIL ACCEPTS PEACE TREATY

BAKER TO REVIEW 77TH IN GREAT FIFTH AVENUE PARADE HERE TO-MORROW

New York Soldiers, Marching
in New Formation, to Pass
in 50 Minutes.

MEN COME TO CITY.

Reception at City Hall Opens
Festivities of Division's
Welcome.

The parade of the 77th Division to-morrow will present features which have not been seen in the other parades of returning troops. In the first place the chief reviewing officer will be Secretary of War Baker, who will receive the salute and as each unit passes the reviewing stand the Secretary of War's artillery salute will be fired by one-pounders.

As an aid to the Police Major Gen. Alexander has decided to form the parade in battalion units with the four companies of each battalion in squad formation—that is, the companies will march four men abreast, side by side, or 16 men from curb to curb with intervals between the companies. It is figured that in this formation the division will pass the reviewing stand in about fifty minutes and the massed effect will be much more spectacular, especially if the day be sunny, with the glint of sunlight on the bayonets.

As has been announced the men will wear overseas caps with their steel helmets slung on their backs. They will not carry gas masks.

As in the 27th Division parade, the gold star flag, memorial to the dead of the division, will be carried at the head of the column. The flag will show 2,358 stars. Gen. Alexander has permitted the Mayor's Committee to present gold star flags to the various units and these will also be carried in the parade.

Following Gen. Alexander and staff will move the artillery. The infantry will precede the wounded. The "Lost Battalion" will not appear as a unit and Lieut. Col. Whittlesby, who commanded that battalion in the Arizona, will not appear in the parade.

RECEPTION OPENS WITH VISIT TO MAYOR.

The reception to the division opened officially to-day when Chief Gen. Alexander, with his Major of Staff, Lieut. Col. H. H. McGee, and his aide, Capt. Copes, called on Mayor Hylan at the City Hall. The Mayor assured Gen. Alexander that every precaution has been taken to insure the smooth movement of the parade and the comfort of the men taking part.

A reception and hall will be given to about 8,000 men of the division at the Hotel Astor to-night. Gen. Alexander and his staff will attend. The War Camp Community Service has detailed 3,000 girls as dancing partners for the soldiers.

The Jewish Welfare Board has arranged to take care of feeding some of the men as far removed from their homes after the parade to-morrow and during the rest of their stay in the city. The evening meal at the

PLANE STARTING FOR N. Y. WRECKS AUTO AND ITSELF

Dr. E. L. Allan Slightly Hurt, Sid
Chaplin and Third Aboard
Escape at Atlantic City.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 5.—Dr. E. L. Allan of New York was slightly injured and Sid Chaplin, brother of Charlie and Dr. John P. Davis of Buffalo narrowly escaped here to-day when an airplane in which they were riding collided with the automobile in which Earl Ovington had brought them to the field.

The three had entered a Curtiss plane, with Allan at the wheel, intending to fly to New York. Their machine failed to leave the ground readily and crashed into the automobile, wrecking both machines.

The Aerial League of America, at a conference to-day in which nine nations were represented, decided to offer a trophy to be competed for annually for efficiency in shooting from aircraft. The winner is to have ten shots at small balloons.

MRS. VINCENT ASTOR IS BITTEN BY DOG

Attacked at Her Home at Rhinebeck
and Unable to Be at Y. W. C.
A. Hut To-Day.

Mrs. Vincent Astor was bitten in the hand by a dog at her home at Rhinebeck on the Hudson yesterday. She was painfully injured she telephoned to the Y. W. C. A. Hut at the Battery, where she has worked every day since she returned from France, that she could not be at the hut to-day.

At the Astor home in Rhinebeck it was said that Mrs. Astor had gone out and was not expected back until evening.

\$8,000,000 SENT SOLDIERS AS HE PLEADS FOR LOAN

"That's Where the Money Goes,"
Says Gen. Lord, "But It's Only
a Drop in Bucket."

A practical demonstration of what is being done with the people's money was given at the noon meeting of the Victory Liberty Loan on the Sub-Treasury steps. While Brig. Gen. Herbert S. Lord was extolling his hearers to subscribe to the loan, \$8,000,000 in currency was carried from the Sub-Treasury and placed on trucks under a strong police guard bound for Hoboken, there to be put on a transport and carried to the American soldiers in France.

"There's where the money is going," said the general, "to the boys, but \$8,000,000 is only a drop in the bucket. It's only a drop in the bucket."

KAISER WANTS TO RETURN.

Asks to Be Allowed to Live on
German Estate.

BRUSSELS, May 5 (Associated Press).—Former Emperor Wilhelm has requested the German Government to be allowed to return to Germany and reside on his estate at Kadich, according to a semi-official statement issued here.

FLAMES DAMAGE TWO NC PLANES IN NAVAL HANGAR

However, One Can Be Re-
paired and at Least Two
Will Start To-Morrow.

NAVAL AIR STATION, ROCKAWAY BEACH, L. I., May 5.—An accidental gasoline fire in the NC hangar at the Rockaway Beach Naval Air Station at 2:10 A. M. to-day, damaged the NC 1 seriously and the NC 4 slightly, but will not prevent the start of the NC 3 and NC 4 to-morrow for Newfoundland, where they will prepare to "hop off" for the Azores on the navy's trans-Atlantic flight attempt.

Commander John H. Towers, who has charge of the trans-Atlantic flight fleet, made an official report to the Navy Department at Washington, in which he said the NC 1 could not leave to-morrow, but that the NC 3 and NC 4 would get away on schedule. The NC 1, Commander Towers said, would follow as soon as repairs could be made, time for which was estimated at forty-eight hours.

Commander Towers announced that the damage from the fire was between \$12,000 and \$15,000.

The lower elevator and part of the tail of the NC 1 were damaged. It was expected she would be repaired by 6 o'clock to-night.

The upper and lower right wings on the NC 1 will be replaced by two wings which the machine had on before a recent accident. It was announced late this afternoon that the repairs might be ready by midnight.

"Only the very excellent work of the men at the station and in the hangar," said Commander Towers, "prevented the entire station from being burned."

The NC 2 was out of the hangar and was not in danger.

Approximately thirty men, who had been working in the hangar all night, were making final preparations for to-day's tests and for the get-away tomorrow when the fire started.

A spark, probably from the motors used to pump gasoline, fell onto some gasoline on top of the tank of the NC 1. A man who was filling the tank dropped the funnel and some gasoline spread out on the concrete floor under the right wings of the plane.

Hand chemical fire extinguishers were torn from their holders by several of the workmen, who rushed toward the blaze without regard for the danger of an explosion of the tank. The fire was put out in six minutes.

The navy flyers chosen to pilot the NC 3 and NC 4 across the Atlantic are making goodly in three flights to-day on the eve of starting for Newfoundland, whence the start of the actual flight is to be made.

Here Is Vice-President Marshall Wearing a German Helmet He Won As Prize for Aiding Liberty Loan



The Victory Loan Committee, through the Treasury Department, has presented to Vice-President Marshall a German officer's helmet for his efforts in aiding the Victory Loan. The above photograph shows the Vice-President wearing the helmet in his office. For once, the German helmet does not adorn the head of a destroyer of civilization.

CHIEF MAGISTRATE M'ADOO HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Struck by Machine on Staten Island
and Now Confined to Home
in This City.

Chief Magistrate William M. Adoo was confined to his home to-day and will be for many days as the result of an automobile accident on Saturday afternoon near the Richmond Magistrate's Court. He was struck by the driver of a motor truck and as he attempted to step from the curb, was struck by a machine driven by a young man who was on his way to work.

The Magistrate was knocked down and badly injured in the accident and his leg and back were hurt.

He was taken to the hospital and is now recovering from his injuries. He is expected to be able to walk in a few days.

GERMAN OFFICERS, HERE ON U. S. SHIP, BOAST OF DEEDS

Men Showing New Crew How
to Operate Seized Vessels
Wear Much Gold Braid.

The German liner Cap Finsterlin, formerly of the Hamburg-American Line in the South American service, one of the ships turned over to this country under provisions of the armistice, arrived in port at noon with 1,000 soldiers and 184 Red Cross workers aboard.

Although it is a miracle, the German officers showed the crew how to operate the ship. They were decorated to suit in honoring the crew members and also so many medals, honorably and many—patriotically, the latter.

Coming up the bay all these officers ambled about the deck with large plaques, taking keen delight in getting

"GUN COTTON" JAR FURNISHES SCARE FOR WALL STREET

Found in Astor Building and
Turned Over to Eagan
for Examination.

Excitement was caused in the Wall Street district to-day by the finding of a quart jar of what is supposed to be gun cotton on the seventh floor of the Astor Building at No. 39 New Street.

The jar was found at an early hour by Michael Fogusky, a porter, who turned it over to Supt. Decker. The label said "Gun-cotton." Decker waited only long enough to read the dictionary definition as far as "a highly explosive compound prepared by the action of nitric and sulphuric acids upon cotton or some other form of cellulose." Then he called the police.

Patrolman George Cunningham walked slowly and carefully with the jar to the Old Ship Police Station and Inspector Owen Eagan was sent for. Pending the bomb expert's arrival the jar was placed on a window sill and left alone.

In addition to the word "Gun-cotton," the label was also marked "Sample." Nobody could make out all of a written inscription, but the figures 12.06 were decipherable before a word that some said was "nitro-trophen" and the figures 8.80 before another word that may be "solution."

Experts of the Bureau of Mines at Washington at work upon an analysis of one of the twenty-five May Day bombs mailed in this city to prominent Americans expressed the hope to-day that the plotters may be traced through their chemical formula. According to the experts the gelatine dynamite in the infernal machines is of American manufacture.

In New York neither Federal nor city detectives announced a further development of any kind up to mid-afternoon. Representatives of the Bureau of Mines were quoted as authorities for the statement that, judging by the mushy consistency of the dynamite they believed it had been reinforced by nitro-glycerine.

The ordinary dynamite of commerce, experts say, has a consistency somewhat like that of a stick of hard candy. The dynamite of the May Day bombs is much softer.

That the ware created by the finding of the bombs has not run its course is shown by the fact that when Albert Graa of No. 140 East Seventh Street found a package at his door to-day, just after the letter carrier had made his first round, Graa thought at once of bombs and policemen.

A printed notice on the wrapper set forth that \$100 would be paid to the person delivering the package to City Hall. The three 2-cent stamps had been cancelled.

Graa took the package to Inspector Owen Eagan of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation. Eagan expressed his usual caution. The parcel contained explosives and rubbish.

The explosives confiscated by detectives last week in the Baldwin-Medusa Institute at No. 145 West 43rd Street were removed from Police Headquarters to-day to the Government laboratories at South Amherst, N. J., where they will be analyzed.

BAR JCHS IN \$2,000,000 DEAL.

Pay Cash for Oil Companies Turned
Last Fall on \$100,000.

WHITNEY, Pa., May 5.—A deal for the purchase of the oil properties of the Standard Oil Company of New York for \$2,000,000 was announced to-day by the Standard Oil Company of New York.

RETURN OF THE ITALIANS, ACCEPTANCE BY BELGIUM, SPEEDS UP PEACE TREATY

Terms to Be Handed to the German
Representatives on Wednesday or
Thursday—Italian Delegate At-
tends Meeting of League Committee

PARIS, May 5 (Associated Press).—The announcement that Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino, the leading Italian delegates to the Peace Conference, had left Rome for Paris, and the further news that the Belgian Crown Council had given its assent to the signing of the peace treaty by the Belgian delegates, regardless of the unsatisfactoriness to Belgium of the financial arrangements, have resulted in relieving the embarrassments of the peace conferees.

CLEMENCEAU SAYS HE HAS DONE HIS BEST; CALLS IT A GOOD PEACE

Particularly Pleased With the New
Relations of France, America
and Britain.

PARIS, May 5.—"I have done my best. I think it is a good peace," this declaration was made to the editor of the Figaro by Premier Clemenceau. The editor says he is convinced all France is welcoming with the immense advantages she will gain from collaboration with Great Britain and the United States.

If it is a good peace, the editor continued, it is also a better one because it is an alliance with the two most powerful nations of the world.

Referring to the meeting of the French Cabinet yesterday, the editor says that after the peace terms were read by Capt. Andrew Tardieu, a speech was made by Premier Clemenceau, who outlined the efforts he had to make, often under most difficult circumstances, to elaborate the text as it now stands.

CZECH MINISTER OF WAR KILLED IN AIRPLANE FALL

Two Italian Officers With Gen.
Stefanik Also Lost
Lives.

COPENHAGEN, May 5.—Gen. Milan Stefanik, Czech-Slovak Minister of War, was killed near Vahor, Hungary, Sunday, when the airplane in which he was traveling crashed to the ground, a despatch from Pressburg says. Two Italian officers who were with him also were killed.

Gen. Stefanik formerly commanded the Czech-Slovak forces in Russia and Siberia. He played a prominent part in the march of the Czechs through Russia to Vienna after the fall of Premier Kerensky. At present the Czech troops are collaborating with other Allies in the drive on Budapest against the Hungarian Communists.

Assassin With Bombs Attacks Gen. Hort.

ATLANTIC, May 5.—An attempt was made recently on the life of Gen. Edvard Hertel, Russian military commander at Berlin. He was shot at by a man with a bomb, but was not hurt. The man was captured and is now in custody.

Several Butchers on Strike.

TORONTO, Ont., May 5.—Most butchers and packers numbering 2,000 went on strike here to-day to compel recognition of the union and granting of demands for a forty-four-hour week and a wage increase.

BELGIAN ACCEPTANCE OF TREATY UNANIMOUSLY VOTED BY CROWN COUNCIL

Foreign Minister Hymans Says It
Gives Honorable and Satisfac-
tory Terms.

BRUSSELS, May 5 (Associated Press).—The Belgian Government has decided to sign the Treaty of Peace. The Crown Council met at the palace at 8 o'clock last evening and continued in session until midnight. Paul Hymans, Minister of Foreign Affairs and head of the Belgian delegation at the Peace Conference, outlined the situation and gave a review of the peace terms. He expressed the opin-